

Starting Natural

This tutorial assumes the following:

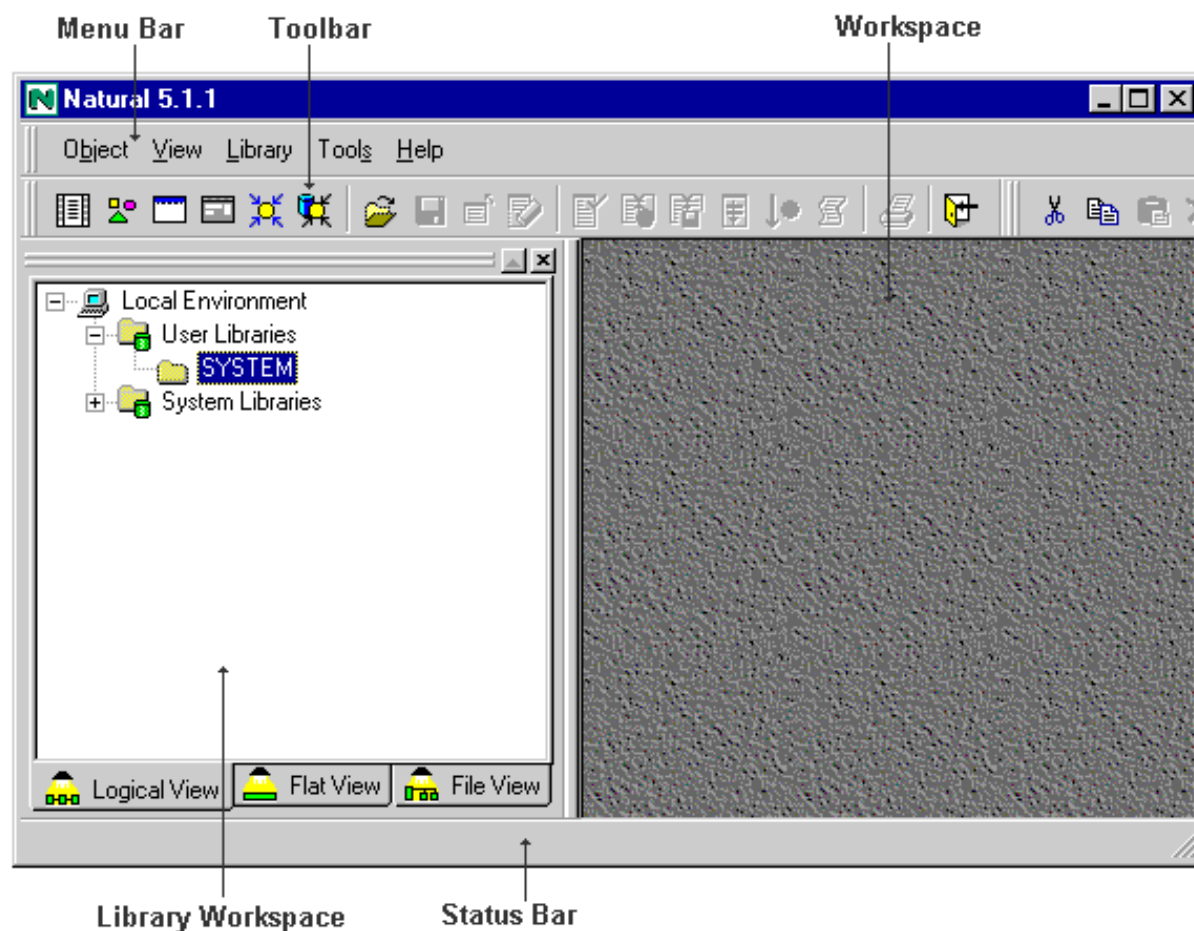
- Natural 5.1.1 for Windows has been installed with setup type "Development Client for Single Point of Development (SPoD)".
- A development server has been installed on the mainframe. See Natural Development Server Installation under OS/390.
- The dataset NDV111.EXPL has been loaded with INPL on the development server. This dataset contains the sample libraries SYSSPODA and SYSSPODX that will be used in this tutorial.
- You have a basic understanding of how to use Microsoft Windows.
- You have already read Introducing Natural Single Point of Development.

▶ To start Natural

- From the Start menu, choose **Programs > Software AG Natural 5.1.1 > Natural**.
Or double-click the following shortcut on your Windows desktop (only available if specified during installation).



Natural Studio, the development environment for Natural, appears:



When you start Natural for the very first time, Natural Studio shows only your local environment containing the library workspace. The different environments are explained later in this tutorial.

You can now proceed with the first exercise: Customizing the Natural Studio Window.